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A REVIEW AND ANALYSIS BY NPIC OF

REVEALS A SUSPECT SA-2 SAM SITE AT 192352N 1040919E (UTM VGL13449),

LOCATED 1500 METERS NORTHWEST OF BARTHELEMY SITE A14-2, #381 ALONG ROUTE 7,  
 5.6 NAUTICAL MILES (NM) SOUTHEAST OF THE LAOTIAN BORDER IN NORTH VIETNAM.

COMPARTIVE ANALYSIS REVEALS THAT THE SUSPECT SITE HAS BEEN CONSTRUCTED SINCE

AND WAS OCCUPIED BY UNIDENTIFIED OBJECTS/MATERIAL ON

THE SITE CONSISTS OF AT LEAST TWO AND POSSIBLY THREE LAUNCH POSITIONS OCCUPIED BY  
 HEAVILY CAMOUFLAGED UNIDENTIFIED OBJECTS/MATERIAL. THE GUIDANCE AREA IS ALSO  
 HEAVILY CAMOUFLAGED AND IS ALSO VERY TENUOUS.

THE INTERPRETABILITY OF PROHIBITS

A POSITIVE IDENTIFICATION OF THIS AREA AS A FIRM, OCCUPIED SA-2 SITE; HOWEVER,  
 THERE ARE ENOUGH SIGNATURES TO AT LEAST IDENTIFY THE AREA AS SUSPECT.

NPIC WILL CONTINUE TO MONITOR THIS AREA AS ADDITIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC COVERAGE  
 BECOMES AVAILABLE. NO SEQUENTIAL NUMBER OR INTERIM BE. <sup>number has been</sup> ~~WILL BE~~ ASSIGNED.

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